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FROM OPIC

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EFIN

SUBJECT: BARITE MINING

REF: MBABANE 357

PASS SWEETWOOD

IN SEPTEMBER 1976 CONVERSATION WITH OPIC OFFICER PARNELL
SWEETWOOD PROVIDED BACKGROUND ON BARITE PROJECT. PARNELL
EXPRESSED OPIC INTEREST IN PROJECT AND NOTED PREVIOUS DIS-
CUSSIONS WITH IMCO-HALLIBURTON. SWEETWOOD ADVISED NO ADDI-

TIONAL OPIC FOLLOW-UP UNTIL POLITICAL QUESTIONS RE
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PRIOR OWNER SETTLED. REFTEL INDICATE SOME ACTION TO THAT
END. SHOULD OPIC RENEW CONTACTS WITH HALLIBURTON?
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Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
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